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Via ECFS  
Marlene H. Dortch, Secretary  
Federal Communications Commission  
445 12th Street, S.W.  
Washington, D.C. 20554

**Re: In the Matter of Petition of USTelecom for Forbearance Pursuant to  
47 U.S.C. Section 160(c); WC Docket No. 18-141; Category 1**

Dear FCC,

I am a consumer who relies on my small local ISP because AT&T and Comcast are both unresponsive and overpriced in my area. My ISP may use their infrastructure, but at least when things need fixing, they have the clout with AT&T in particular to get them to come fix it quickly instead of giving me the runaround. Ending the requirement that AT&T sell wholesale access to their lines would force me into worse service for more money, which is the opposite of what the government should be doing for us. This is a terrible proposal.

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